

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

1.) Claim Amendments

The Applicant has amended claims 5, 10 and 24. Claims 11 and 25 have been canceled. Applicant respectfully submits no new matter has been added. Accordingly, claims 1-10 and 12-24 are pending in the application. Favorable reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested in view of the foregoing amendments and the following remarks.

2.) Claim Rejections – 35 U.S.C. § 112

Claims 5, 10, and 24 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112 as having insufficient antecedent basis for “the service type” limitations. The Applicant appreciates the Examiner’s comments and has amended Claims 5, 10, 24 to correct the antecedent basis problem in each claim.

3.) Claim Rejections – 35 U.S.C. § 103 (a)

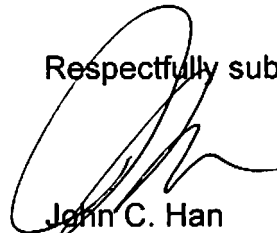
Claims 1-10 and 12-24 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Mononen (US 2003/0229595; Cited in PTO-892 Part of Paper No. 20090601) in view of Sawyer (US Patent No. 5828737; same as WO 9716034 cited in IDS) and Balachandran (US Patent No. 6,006,085). In that regard, the Applicant extremely appreciates the Examiner's Interview granted on March 2, 2010 and further appreciates the Examiner's comments that the proposed amendments to the independent claims would overcome the pending 103 rejection. Accordingly, the Applicant has now amended independent Claims 1 and 12 as discussed during the Examiner's Interview and respectfully submits that the pending claims are now patentable over the cited references and a Notice of Allowance for all pending claims is earnestly requested.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing remarks, the Applicant believes all of the claims currently pending in the Application to be in a condition for allowance. The Applicant, therefore, respectfully requests that the Examiner withdraw all rejections and issue a Notice of Allowance for all pending claims.

The Applicant requests a telephonic interview if the Examiner has any questions or requires any additional information that would further or expedite the prosecution of the Application.

Respectfully submitted,



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